Oklahoma School Testing Program

Oklahoma Alternate Assessment Program (OAAP)

2014–2015 Blueprints

Grades 3–8
End-of-Instruction (EOI)
Science and History

Oklahoma State Department of Education



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Oklahoma Alternate Assessment Program Mapping Cut Scores from the 6-point Scale

Overview

The Oklahoma Alternate Assessment Program (OAAP) Portfolio assessment is designed to assess students with the most significant cognitive disabilities. The Oklahoma State Department of Education (OSDE) has received feedback from educators regarding access limitations to required assessment items collected for the OAAP portfolio assessment.

In order to measure a broader range of student performance, the OSDE utilizes a 6-point scale. The 6-point scale incorporates a scoring rubric that captures the performance of students functioning at lowest levels of ability. This method, while providing access to students functioning at lower levels, also satisfies Federal requirements for measuring grade-level academic content standards.

Performance level descriptors were derived from the expectations for student performance and guide the establishment of cut scores. It is important to note score levels 1 and 2 are at the Unsatisfactory performance level. However, these levels do provide a measurement of growth for students functioning at lowest levels of ability.

Cut Scores on the 6-point Scale

Subject	Grade	Number of Tasks	6-point Cut Scores		
Subject	Grade Number of Tasks	LK	Pro	Adv	
Colones	5	7	24	30	39
Science	8	9	32	40	50
Social Studies	5	8	29	36	45
	7	5	18	22	28
	8	6	21	27	34
Biology	HS	10	36	45	55
U.S. History	HS	8	28	37	46

LK: Limited Knowledge

Pro: Proficient Adv: Advanced

Grade 5

Science Social Studies

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Grade 5 Science

Test Blueprint

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Grade 5 Science Standards	Pieces of Evidence Point Values	
P5.1 Using Simple Tools	12	
C5.1 Energy Transfer	12	
P5.3 Conduct a Scientific Evaluation	6	
P5.2 Classify	12	
C5.2 Organisms and Environment	12	
P5.4 Interpret/Communicate	12	
C5.3 Structure of Earth and Weather	12	
Total Test	42	

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Grade 5 Social Studies Standards	Pieces of Evidence Point Values
5.2 Early Exploration of America	6
5.3 Colonial America	6
5.4 American RevolutionKey ConflictsKey Individuals	12
5.5 GovernmentServices paid by taxesBranches of government	12
5.7 Climate/Geographic FeaturesClimateGeographical Features	12
Total Test	48

Grade 7 Geography

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Grade 7 Geography Standards	Pieces of Evidence Point Values
7.1 Maps	6
7.2 Cultural and Physical Regions of the World	6
7.3 Interactions of Physical Systems	6
7.4 Human Systems	6
7.5 Interactions of Humans and Their Environments	6
Total Test	30

Grade 8 Science U.S. History

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The Test Blueprint reflects the degree to which each *Oklahoma Priority Academic Student Skills* (*PASS*) standard is represented on the assessment. The overall distribution of standards is as follows:

Grade 8 Science Standards	Pieces of Evidence Point Values
P8.1 Measure C8.2 Motion/Force	12
C8.3 Diversity and Adaptation of Organisms	6
P8.4 Interpret and Communicate C8.1 Properties/Chemical Change	12
P8.2 Classify C8.4 Structures and Forces of Earth	12
P8.3 Experiment C8.5 Earth's History	12
Total Test	54

NOTE: Process standards are abbreviated by using a 'P' prior to the numbered standard (e.g., P1.0) Content standards are abbreviated by using a 'C' prior to the numbered standard (e.g., C1.0)

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Grade 8 United States History Standards	Pieces of Evidence Point Values	
8.3 Events Leading to the American Revolution	6	
 8.5 Preamble to the United States Constitution Bill of Rights Preamble to the United States Constitution 	12	
8.6 Slavery	6	
8.9 Lifestyles of the Pioneers	6	
8.10 Civil War	6	
Total Test	36	

End of Instruction (EOI) Biology U.S. History

Oklahoma School Testing Program Oklahoma Alternate Assessment Program Portfolio End-of-Instruction Biology Test Blueprint School Year 2014–2015

The Test Blueprint reflects the degree to which each *Oklahoma Priority Academic Student Skills* (*PASS*) standard is represented on the assessment. The overall distribution of standards is as follows:

End-of-Instruction Biology Standards	Pieces of Evidence Point Values
P1 Observe and Measure	12
C5 Organ Systems	
P4 Interpret/Communicate	12
C2 Molecular Basis of Heredity	12
P2 Classify	12
C3 Biological Diversity	12
P5 Model	12
C4 Interdependence of Organisms	12
P3 Experiment C1 Cells	12
Total Test	60

NOTE: Process standards are abbreviated by using a 'P' prior to the numbered standard (e.g., P1.0)

Content standards are abbreviated by using a 'C' prior to the numbered standard (e.g., C1.0)

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End-of-Instruction United States History Standards	Pieces of Evidence Point Values
US.2 Industrial Revolution	6
US.3 Causes of World War I	6
US.4 Events in the U.S. in the era between the World Wars • Automobiles • Electricity	12
US.5 World War II Pearl Harbor Holocaust Major Powers of WWII	18
US.6 United States Since World War II	6
Total Test	48